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In re application : Marina V. Backer et al.
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OF SELECTED COMPOUNDS TO TARGETS

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SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES UNDER 37 CFR §1.821)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In the above Notice mailed on July 13, 2001 (copy
enclosed), it was indicated that no copy of the Sequence Listing
in Computer Readable Form (CRF) was submitted with the

application, and that Applicants must make an initial submission of such CRF.

At the outset, Applicants submit that such CRF was filed with the above-identified patent application on June 1, 2001. Enclosed is a copy of the Return Postcard stamped by the USPTO indicating that the Sequence Listing (both paper and CRF copies) were included with the application papers. Additionally, the Application Transmittal Letter (copy attached), certifies that both the paper copy and CRF of the Sequence Listing was included in the application package filed June 1, 2001.

Nevertheless, in order to expedite prosecution of this application, Applicants herein enclose a substitute copy of the Sequence Listing in both paper and CRF forms. Applicants respectfully request that this substitute Sequence Listing be entered in the present application.

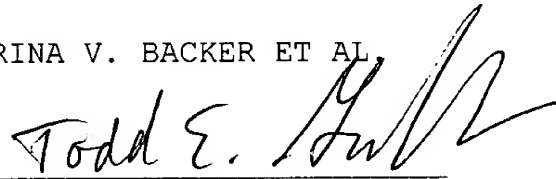
Applicants further state that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (paper) sequence listing, and, where applicable, contains no new matter as required by 37 CFR §1.821(e)-(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d).

If a telephone conference would aid in the continued prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited and encouraged to contact Applicants' representative at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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